

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

July 11, 2002

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find a copy of a X-Resolution approved July 10, 2002, by the Railroad Safety Program Administrator of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Very truly yours,

Kevin L. Sharpe

Director of Processing and Information

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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a Form 3 petition was filed as aforesaid pursuant to 92 III. Adm. Code 1535.400(d) seeking approval by X-Resolution of a plan showing details of a proposed improvement at the subject grade crossing; and,

WHEREAS, the Commission staff has examined the petition and plan and is of the opinion that the proposed improvement is desirable in the interest of public safety and should be authorized.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the proposed improvement as shown by the petition and plan filed as aforesaid be and it is hereby authorized.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that petitioner shall submit to the Director of Processing of the Commission's Transportation Division, within five (5) days of completion of the work herein authorized, a National Inventory Update Report Form as a notice of said completion.

Petition filed:

April 11, 2002

Petition amended:

April 26, 2002

Petition approved:

July 10, 2002

Michael E. Stead Railroad Safety Program Administrator

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